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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d),
(continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/448,042,
filed on 11/23/99, entitled Primer Extension Methods Utilizing Donor and Acceptor Molecules for Detecting Nucleic Acids.

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. ☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:

 - b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent is enclosed.
5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:
 - a. ☐ PTO-1449
 - b. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

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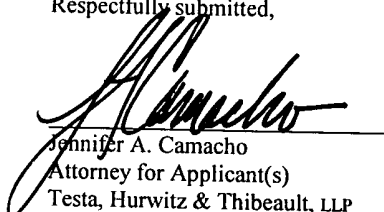
	(1) CLAIMS	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	13 - 20 =	0	x \$ 18 =	\$ 0.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	2 - 3 =	0	x \$ 84 =	\$ 0.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ 280 =	\$ 280.00
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$ 740.00
				Total of above Calculations =	\$ 1,020.00
	Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$ 510.00
	TOTAL =				\$ 510.00

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6. ☒ Small entity status:
- a. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- b. ☒ was established in the prior application and is still proper and desired.
- c. ☐ is no longer claimed.
7. ☒ A check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed.
8. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 20-0531.
9. ☐ A copy of the Petition and Fee for Extension of Time for _____ months up to and including _____ which was filed for the immediately prior application is enclosed herewith.
10. a. ☐ Receipt for Facsimile Transmittal CPA (PTO/SB/29A).
- b. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard.
11. ☐ NO FEE IS ENCLOSED AND ANY AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE THE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT IS EXPRESSLY REVOKED.

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